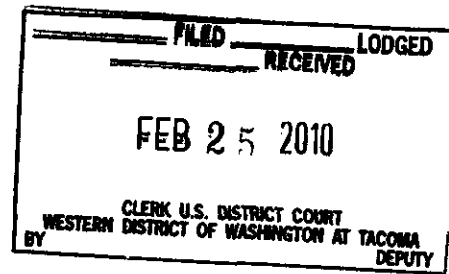


THE HONORABLE RONALD B. LEIGHTON



09-CV-05724-ORD



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

JERRY RICHARD, Individually and on Behalf
of All Others Similarly Situated,

Plaintiff,

vs.

NORTHWEST PIPE, et al.,

Defendants.

No. 3:09-cv-05724-RBL

CLASS ACTION

[PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING
PLUMBERS AND PIPEFITTERS LOCAL
UNION NO. 630 PENSION-ANNUITY
TRUST FUND'S MOTION FOR
CONSOLIDATION, APPOINTMENT AS
LEAD PLAINTIFF, AND APPROVAL OF
SELECTION OF COUNSEL

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2 UNION NO. 630 PENSION-ANNUITY
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CLASS ACTION

1 Having considered Plumbers and Pipefitters Local Union No. 630 Pension-Annuity Trust
2 Fund's Motion for Consolidation, Appointment as Lead Plaintiff, and Approval of Selection of
3 Counsel (the "Motion"), and good cause appearing therefore, the Court ORDERS as follows:

- 4 1. The Motion is GRANTED;
- 5 2. The Related Actions are consolidated pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 42(a);
- 6 3. The Court, having considered the provisions of §21D(a)(3)(B) of the Securities
7 Exchange Act of 1934, 15 U.S.C. §78u-4(a)(3)(B), as amended by the Private Securities Litigation
8 Reform Act of 1995, hereby determines that Plumbers and Pipefitters Local Union No. 630 Pension-
9 Annuity Trust Fund is appointed as Lead Plaintiff; and

10 4. Lead Plaintiff's selection of counsel is approved. Pursuant to §21D(a)(3)(B)(v), the
11 law firm of Coughlin Stoia Geller Rudman & Robbins LLP is appointed as Lead Counsel and
12 Lovell, Mitchell & Barth LLP is appointed as Liaison Counsel for the class.

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14 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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16 DATED: 2-25-10



THE HONORABLE RONALD B. LEIGHTON
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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